



**Submission No 67**

**Inquiry into potential reforms of National Security Legislation**

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To: Committee, PJCIS (REPS)  
Subject: RE: Inquiry into potential reforms of National Security Legislation

Dear Mr Secretary,

I feel very angry about the way governments play with the lives of people that don't suit them, eg David Hicks and Julian Assange.

They hide behind their own veil of secrecy and refuse to reveal information about who's really pulling their strings.

I don't trust them to use wisely or ethically information about myself or others regarding computer records.

Extending powers to record extensive information about computer use of the public is excessive and unnecessary, and our Government has demonstrated it does not deserve and cannot be trusted with such sweeping powers.

Thankyou.

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